## Council on Postsecondary Education February 3, 2003

## Council Bylaws

Action: The staff recommends that the council approve changes to the council bylaws.

Chair Adams requested that staff review the council bylaws and recommend changes to address four issues: attendance at council meetings, the composition of the nominating committee, a limitation on the term of the chair, and the starting date for the student member of the council. The recommended changes (additions are underlined and deletions are displayed as "strike-throughs") are in the attached document.

A new sub-section D in Section 1 gives the council chair and the executive committee jurisdiction over members who fail to regularly attend meetings.

The composition of the nominating committee was changed to exclude any member seeking a council office. A limit of three (3) consecutive one-year terms is placed on the chair.

KRS 164.011(4) requires that the student government presidents advance the names of three students to the governor by June 1 of each year. Given this statutory language, a change in the bylaws is not appropriate.